

## 12 – Community Archaeology

### HLF Outcomes

HERITAGE			PEOPLE			COMMUNITIES		
Heritage is managed better	Heritage is in a better condition	Heritage is better identified/recorded	People will have developed skills	People will have learnt about heritage	People will have volunteered time	Environmental impacts will be reduced	More, and a wider range, of people will have engaged	The local area will be a better place to live, work or visit
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### Timescale

Start date: May 2018

Completion date: 2022

### Project Lead Partner

LP Team (Freelance Co-ordinator, supported by Community Officer)

## Project Summary

We will provide a series of archaeology training courses which will improve and support the skills of volunteers to enable them to survey and interpret local archaeological sites. We will also provide discovery days and participatory events which will enable the local community to gain a great appreciation of the development of the historical landscape of the LP area, including field systems, ancient and prehistoric settlement, and resource extraction.

### Audience

- Local history and archaeology groups
- Wider volunteering groups
- PEN project group
- Young people aged 16 - 25

## Outputs & Outcomes

OUTPUTS
20 training days held
100 people trained
400 volunteer days
2 excavation projects
2 archaeology themed walks created
3 Discovery Days held

OUTCOMES
People will have developed skills and with improved capability they are able to carry out their own archaeological investigations
Archaeology is better identified and recorded
A wider range of people will have engaged in archaeology projects and activities

## Legacy

Local history groups and archaeology volunteers will be of a more diverse risk. They will continue to research, survey and record local sites utilising their enhanced skills. The Archaeology Forum will continue to convene to share information and plan joint activity. The link between the AONB and UCLan will also be maintained with potential for continued support of student projects in the area and opportunity for students to work with community projects.

An increased number of young people will be inspired and supported to study archaeology at school, college and at University.